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TO THE OWNERS OF DOGS.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
Alexandria, Va., June 6, 1908.

All persons owning or intending to keep any animal of the dog or canine species should come forward on or before

JUNE TWENTY-FIFTH, 1908,

and take out a license for the same from the Auditor. After the 30th of June all persons owning or harboring dogs without the required license are subject to a fine as the laws on the subject require of $3 or $5.

Complaint has been frequently made that many persons fail to take out their license, and that others pay on one or two dogs when owning and harboring more, or who send such dogs away during the summer months and bring them back in the fall.

Attention has been called to this evasion of the law, and policemen will report all such cases, and fines can be imposed upon those who fail to take out licenses after trial in the Police Court.

☞In order to avoid any mistakes persons who make application for licenses would do well to write their names and number of residence, street, etc., on a card or paper when making application for their licenses to the Auditor.

Attention is also called to the fact that while the payment of a license tax is required by the laws of the city whether a dog is kept on the premises of the owner at all times or not, yet the payment of such tax does not entitle the dog to the unrestricted use of the streets and alleys of the city, both day and night, for it is provided by law that "The Mayor in addition at any and all times, in his discretion, by proclamation shall declare that all such dogs as above licensed shall be securely muzzled, and if any such dogs be found running at large during the continuance of such proclamation without the required muzzle they shall be seized by the police force, or other persons designated by the Mayor for such purposes," and conveyed to a suitable place and destroyed.

FRED. J. PAFF, Mayor.

The following is a copy of Section 54 of the License Law: "On every dog, regardless of sex, one dollar and fifty cents."

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Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect, resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of public concern, will only be printed in the paper as advertisements.

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CRIME IN PARIS.

It is suggested that the excessive heat which is being experienced in Paris has been responsible for an extraordinary number of crimes during the last few days.

In a single day 13 serious crimes were reported in Paris alone. A wine merchant was almost cut to pieces by two customers in the small hours of yesterday morning because his wine was sour. A ragpicker went mad yesterday morning and half killed a woman, whose brother shot him dead. A hotel servant was suddenly attacked by the occupant of a room which did not please him, and was killed by a blow with a chair.

An "Apache," for no apparent reason, stabbed two women in Montmartre. A policeman who captured him was bitten so badly in the face that he is in a hospital. Two ragpickers came to blows, and one, drawing a revolver, shot the other dead.

A furious crowd attempted to lynch the father and mother of two little children whom they cared for insufficiently, and nearly killed the father. When the police took them prisoners the crowd fell on the police and wounded six of them in their efforts to get at the couple again.

A cabdriver was garrotted and robbed in broad daylight by a customer yesterday afternoon, and left for dead in a secluded street.

Four suicides are reported. The first was a young soldier, who poisoned himself because his leave ended yesterday morning. The second, a man of 53, suffocated himself because he had lost his position as a clerk. The third was the suicide of a young woman who shot herself dead in the courtyard of a fire station in the Place Violet because a fireman who was engaged to her broke off his engagement.

The fourth suicide was that of a young German painter named Wiegels. He tried to shoot himself on Sunday because it was too hot. The revolver missed fire. On Wednesday he all but hanged himself in his studio in the Latin Quarter, but was cut down by a friend, and spent a happy evening in Montmartre distributing for luck pieces of the rope with which he had tried to hang himself. Yesterday he banged himself again from the nail that he used Wednesday, and this time he succeeded.

FALLS HEIR TO FORTUNE.

Theodore von Thien, a butler in the home of Patrick P. Ryan in Richmond, on Tuesday received from the French Ambassador in Washington papers by which he becomes Count von Thien, of the provinces of Kronenfelt and Thien, and, with his brother, inherits the large fortune and estates of his father. August von Thien, the brother, in a cablegram from Paris, announces that his attorney has established their claims to their titles.

There are amounts aggregating $2,000,000 in the banks of Germany and France which will be turned over to the brothers in December. The father was drowned and his body was never discovered, causing the delay in establishing the fact of his death.

August and Theodore von Thien came to the United States as young men, and both held positions as butlers in Sherry's New York restaurant. Theodore came to Virginia two years ago. When told that he was a count he simply said:

"I'm sorry for it I have traveled so much, and have never been as happy as I am in Richmond."

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are prompt and thorough and will in very short time strengthen the weakened kidneys. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

SWIFT & CO. FINED.

Swift & Co., Chicago packers, were yesterday morning sentenced to pay a fine in the Richmond police court for having sold pork alleged by the city health officials to be spoiled meat. The meat was located in the shop of York Harris, a negro dealer at the First Market, and in the shop of J. H. Diggs, also a negro, on Eighteenth street. The men stated that they had purchased the meat from Swift & Co. for 5 and 6 cents, when the market price for good meat from the same cut was 9½ and 10 cents.

J. C. Healy, manager of the Richmond agency of the packing concern, conducted a vigorous and earnest defense. When fined he entered an appeal.

Expert testimony brought out the statement that western pork decays from the outside, while home-killed decays from the inside. For some unexplained reason the local meat will not freeze as well at the joints. Pork put fresh into the ice should keep 18 hours after removal therefrom. It was alleged that the meat in question did not keep three hours.

JUNE IS THE LAST MONTH in which to secure lowest prices of the season on anthracite coal. W. A. SMOOT & Co

Sweet and Sour Pickles for sale at 12 cent a dozen J. C. MILBURN.

FRESH GRAHAM FLOUR just received by J. C. MILBURN.

MR. SLEMP'S EXPLANATION.

Representative Slemp, who is now in Chicago to attend the national republican convention, discussing the contest from Virginia, said:

It is ridiculous to be bothered by these framed up contests which would not be tolerated in any States except those of the south. In spite of all the efforts made to work up anti-Taft sentiment among the negroes in Virginia, those promoting the scheme succeeded in getting only one negro to come here for the contests.

As a matter of fact, the negro vote has been almost eliminated in Virginia through the provisions of the new constitution. That cannot be laid up against the republican party for the democrats control the legislature. Still we have one negro delegate and one alternate to the national convention.

After our conventions were held in the regular manner the disturbers induced a few people, partly white and partly colored, to call a State convention, and urged all counties and cities to hold mass meetings and send their delegates. As a matter of fact only four or five counties and cities held these mass meetings, and the convention which followed contained just seventy-three persons, supposed to represent the whole State. A number of colored men were excluded because they were known to be for Taft, and the chairman stated that no one would be allowed to remain in the hall who did not sympathize with the disturbers.

There was no committee on credentials, and we ascertained that about 90 per cent of those present had participated in the regular convention and the mass meetings which preceded it. After it was over a lot of the negroes who had taken part got together and adopted resolutions supporting the administration.

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We offer the following materials all this week at greatly reduced prices:

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$2.45. Value, $4.00 and $4.50.

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$1.65. Values, $3.00 to $3.75.

Fancy Russian and Sailor Suits, of English galateas and ducks; handsomely braided or plain; sizes up to 10.
$1.15. Values, $2.00 to $2.75.

No. 1k Jacket Suits, with knickerbocker trousers, of fine plain white duck; sizes 8 to 17.
$2.50 each. Value, $3.95.

Linen and Crash Knickerbockers; sizes 9 to 16.
65c a pair. Value, $1.00.

Chambray and English Galatea Bloomers; sizes 3 to 10.
45c a pair. Value, 75c.

Man-o'-War Trousers, of fine white drilling; cut broad at bottom; buttoned across front; sizes 3 to 11.
85c a pair. Value, $2.
Third floor—10th st.

GIRLS' WASH DRESSES

Girls' Percale Dresses, with high neck, "3-4" sleeves and full plaited or gathered skirt; sizes 6 to 14.
Special price, $1.25 each.

Girls' Percale Dresses, made Russian style; some are made with low neck and short sleeves; some with high neck and long sleeves, and others are in the popular jumper style; sizes 6 to 12 years.
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Girls' White Lawn and India Linon Dresses, some with low neck and short sleeves and others with high neck and three-quarter sleeves; sizes 6 to 14.
Special prices, $1.45 to $5 each.

Girls' Percale Dresses, in the new plaids and checks; made with high and low neck; sizes 6 to 14.
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10	335 " "	6 "
9	323 " "	6 "
9	327 " "	6 "
7 50	403 south Alfred	6 "
7 50	415 " "	6 "

APARTMENTS.

$25	602 King	6 rooms
22	211 north Fairfax	5 "
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7 50	113 south Lee	4 "
4 50	113 south Lee	4 "

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ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER

FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 12, 1908

THE democrats of Virginia in convention assembled at Roanoke yesterday sent a delegation to the national convention instructed to vote for William J. Bryan for president, chose electors and adopted a platform of principles, while the several congressional districts selected committeemen. The platform adopted is long, but democratic. The matter of sending an instructed delegation to a national convention is not the custom in Virginia, but now that it has been done all should accept the action of the State convention. The resolution adopted concerning the primary election plan is to the effect that the primary system be submitted to the State committee, who shall investigate the system and prepare suggestions and provisions for changes to be made at the convention in 1912. This committee is instructed to call for a reduction by the State of the primary expenses and to submit a bill calling for or legalizing the primary system.

THERE is hardly a voter in the United States, other than republican politicians, who does not want to see the trusts and railroads so controlled that the price of the products of the trusts and the charges of the railroads shall be reasonable. Yet the republican administration and the republicans who controlled Congress have done absolutely nothing that will decrease the cost of living. There has been a bluff at "trust busting" and a railroad or two have been prosecuted for rebating, but can one name a trust that has reduced its prices in consequence of republican legislation? This is the tariff and trust issue of the coming campaign. Promises for the future and the glad hand to the voters will not compensate for lack of performance in the past.

THE courts never did a more proper thing than the cutting down last week of the Knickerbocker receivership allowances. They were, as Justice Gaynor writes, "grossly excessive." Two of the three receivers had recently been in public employ at about $15,000 a year each, yet they were allowed $75,000 each for less than five months' services as receivers, or at the rate of about $200,000 a year. Even the cut allowance of $20,000 apiece is too liberal. The significance of the word receiver in financial matters is due to the fact that the receiver collects all that he can get and pays out as little as possible.

THE president ordered the district attorney yesterday in Washington to make a thorough investigation of the collapse of an apartment house in course of construction there, expressing his desire that the responsibility for the collapse be fixed and the guilty persons prosecuted to the utmost limit of the law. What the president has to do with such matters is not general known, except on the principle that he meddles with everything.

THE platform promulgated by the democrats of Maryland at their State convention on June 3, is a model of brevity and clearness. It emphasizes three issues—tariff reform according to democratic principles, retrenchment in the expenditures of the federal government, and resistance to federal encroachments upon the reserved rights of the States and the people. It is such a platform as Jefferson himself might have written.

REPRESENTATIVES FOWLER, of New York, and Hill, of Connecticut, both of whom are experts on the currency question, after Congress adjourned told President Roosevelt that they had not changed their views; that the currency law was a political and economic mistake.

MR. ROOSEVELT has urged many things, but he has never urged economy. Extravagance is Rooseveltism. Mr. Tawney says that the deficit this year will be 65 millions, and next year will be 150 millions. It is certain that Mr. Roosevelt will leave a bankrupt treasury.

WHILE railroad earnings and dividends are said to be declining, railroad stocks are advancing. Is anything else needed to show that the upward trend of the Wall street stock market is being manipulated?

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., June 12.

The Secretary of the Treasury today issued a circular to national banks covering regulations for obtaining additional circulation and the formation of national currency associations by the various banks. After quoting the emergency currency law in full the circular says: There are two methods of applying for additional national bank currency under the provisions of the above act: 1. National banks occupying contiguous territory may organize a national currency association. There must be at least ten national banks in each national currency association, and the aggregate capital and surplus of such national banks must be at least $5,000,000. No national bank may join a national currency association unless it has an unimpaired capital and a surplus of not less than 20 per cent. After the formation of an association any national bank belonging thereto, whose outstanding circulating notes actually issued amount to not less than 40 per cent. of its capital, may obtain additional circulating notes in the manner provided in section 1 of the above act. 2—National banks possessing the same qualifications as to unimpaired capital and surplus required of banks joining a national currency association, and whose circulating notes outstanding and actually issued are equal to 40 per cent. of its capital stock, may obtain additional circulating notes based upon the securities prescribed in said section and in the manner indicated therein. The rate of interest to be paid by depositary banks is fixed at 1 per cent. per annum upon the average monthly amount of public deposits held, to be computed from June 15, 1908, and to be payable July 1, 1908, and thereafter on January 1 and July 1, of each year.

The government scored a victory in the trial today of Messrs. Hyde, Benson, Dimond and Schneider, charged with conspiracy to defraud the government out of valuable timber lands in the west, when Justice Stafford overruled a motion of counsel for Henry P. Dimond to strike out from the instructions to the jury all the evidence tending to show that Dimond had a guilty knowledge of the conspiracy alleged to have existed between the defendants. An ineffectual attempt was also made to eliminate Schneider from the jury's final consideration, it being claimed that he had severed his connection with the conspiracy if one existed, before the statute of limitation could include him with its scope. The case is expected to go to the jury next Wednesday.

Another radical change in the postal relations of the United States with Great Britain and Ireland has been effected by Postmaster General Meyer, increasing the weight limit on parcel post packages to these countries from four pounds and 6 ounces to 11 pounds taking effect July 1. It is announced at the Postoffice Department that it is the intention to make the maximum weight on packages to all countries 11 pounds. At present, 24 of the 33 parcel post conventions with foreign countries provide for 11 pounds weight, while in nine others the weight still remains at 4 pounds and 11 ounces.

It is reported that the president and Secretary Taft have decided upon Senator Dolliver for the second place on the republican ticket, if the Senator will accept.

Secretary of the Navy Metcalf will leave this afternoon at 4 o'clock on the president's yacht Mayflower for Hampton Roads to witness the torpedo attack upon the monitor Florida tomorrow morning. He will have as his guest Secretary of War Taft, Brig Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, chief of the bureau of insular affairs; Lieut.-Col. Charles L. McCauley, of the Marine Corps and Lieut. Commander Cleveland L. Davis, assistant chief of the bureau of equipment. The test will be witnessed also by Rear Admiral Mason and Cowles, Chief Constructor Capps, other officials of the department, and a large number of officers, including 500 midshipmen who will be in Hampton Roads on their summer cruise. The test, which is primarily for the purpose of determining the effect of torpedoes upon an especially bulkhead compartment promises to be spectacular, if not instructive.

HELD RESPONSIBLE.

The coroner's jury, in Washington, yesterday, investigating the cause of the death of Richard West, who was killed by the collapse of the walls of a building being erected in that city, held the following persons criminally responsible and for the further action of the grand jury: The District inspector of buildings, Snowden Ashford, for the approval of plans for the said building; the foreman of iron construction, M. S. Blake, employed by Barber & Ross, for improper construction of the iron work; John Frank Bane, the brick contractor, for the hasty construction and use of poor material; Thomas H. Pickford, for negligence in not having a practical and competent man in charge of the general construction and supervision of the different work of the several contractors.

Arrests were made early today of Building Inspector Snowden Ashford; Thomas H. Pickford, owner; John Frank Bane, a local contractor, and M. I. Blake, foreman of iron construction for a local firm, as the result of the verdict of the coroner's jury holding them responsible for the fatal collapse Tuesday of an apartment house near fashionable Du Pont circle. Experts testified that the concrete being used in the building was "atrocious." The verdict follows the orders of the president for a sweeping investigation into the catastrophe. All were held for the grand jury in $5,000 bonds.

Snowden Ashford, inspector of buildings, was suspended this morning by order of the District Commissioners.

Murderer Reprieved.

Chicago, June 12.—Federal Judge Landis today granted a reprieve to Herman Billek, who was to have been hanged at 11 o'clock this morning. The reprieve is to give the attorney a chance to perfect an appeal. The court ordered the sheriff of Cook county not to carry out orders for the execution of Billek until the United States Supreme Court has acted on the case.

Herman Billek, hypnotist and necromancer, was convicted of the murder of Mary Vrysal, aged 22 years, on July 18, 1907. Besides this case on which Billek was tried, he was accused of poisoning four other members of the Vryzal family.

Report Denied.

Glasgow, June 12.—Scotch steel makers discredit the report of a gigantic steel combination of the leading firms of Great Britain, United States, Germany and Russia, with a capitalization of $375,000,000. They look upon the story printed in the Iron and Steel Trades Journal as unauthorized. According to the Journal's story the merger will absorb practically all the steel trade of the United Kingdom. The ultimate capitalization of the combine, it says, will be $625,000,000.

New York, June 12.—Officials of the United States Steel Corporation deny absolutely that a merger has been formed of the steel firms of the four leading producing countries.

Tuesday, June 21, in All Saints' Church, Richmond, in accordance with Canon 31, of the Digest, Bishop Gibson pronounced and recorded sentence of deposition from the ministry on Rev. William H. McGee, presbyter, at his own request and for reasons assigned by him, which reasons in no way affect his moral character.

News of the Day.

Congressman Charles E. Dunwell, aged 48, of the Third district of New York, died at his home in Brooklyn today.

Gov. Hughes, through his Secretary Robert Fuller, made it clear today that under no circumstances would he accept the nomination for vice president.

Senator Joseph W. Bailey, of Texas, who is recovering from a recent throat operation in New York, continues to improve rapidly and his ultimate recovery is now assured.

Directors of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, in session in New York, yesterday adopted resolutions to continue the fight against the paper manufacturers' combine in the matter of news-print paper.

Senator John Walter Smith, of Maryland, and former Senator David B. Hill, of New York, sailed on the Baltic for Europe yesterday. Mr. Hill says there is no democratic party, and urged Johnson against Taft as he sailed.

David Jayne Hill, successor to Charlemagne Tower as American Ambassador to Germany arrived in Berlin today. He will present his credentials within a few days, when it is expected that a reception will be given in his honor.

The Archbishop Nikon, who was assassinated yesterday as he entered the Synodal building at Tiflis was the victim of a plot was shown by the subsequent murder of Captain Maraculoff, who was placed in charge of the investigation and mysteriously shot a few hours after he began work.

C. F. King, financial agent and broker and promotor of Boston and New York, who disappeared four months ago and has since been indicted for larceny, appeared at police headquarters in Boston and gave himself up today. He will be arraigned this afternoon and probably admitted to bail.

The sheath, or directoire skirt, the latest daring Parisian creation, that has caused a sensation in the gay French capital, is not for New York, for Anthony Comstock has spoken. The chief of the Society for the Suppression of Vice says that he will arrest and prosecute "to the fullest extent of the law" any woman who appears in public attired in one of these skirts. He was very positive about it, and declared he would make an example of the first one to take the dare.

Virginia News.

Mrs. Sarah A. Speer, wife of Mr. C. H. Speer, of Oakton, Fairfax county, died suddenly at her home on Tuesday, June 9th. Mrs. Speer, was a daughter of the late B. Canfield, of Fairfax, and was born at Chatham, N. Y., in 1854.

Yesterday evening at the residence of Judge and Mrs. J. M. Mullen, in Petersburg, their niece, Miss Mary Catherine Copeland, daughter of Walter Scott Copeland, editor of the Newport News Times-Herald, was married to Lane Lacy, of Nashville, Tenn., son of the late Judge Benjamin Lacy, of Richmond, Va.

The Corporation Commission yesterday issued a charter to the Aromaform Company, of Herndon, Va., which is formed for the purpose of manufacturing disinfectants. The main office is designated as in Herndon, but as the officers are all in Laurel, Md., it is probable that the disinfectant will be manufactured there. The company is capitalized at $100,000.

The annual session of the council for the Diocese of Southern Virginia convened in Danville yesterday with Right Rev. A. M. Randolph, senior bishop, presiding. Rev. Beverly D. Tucker, bishop coadjutor, is also present. The feature of the session was the unsuccessful effort of the Rev. Dr. R. W. Barnwell, of Petersburg, to reopen for discussion the question of the open pulpit.

Mrs. Campbell Slemp, widow of Representative Campbell Slemp, of the Ninth Virginia district, and mother of Representative C. Bascom Slemp, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Edmonds, at Stonega, Wise county, yesterday morning. Mrs. Slemp was stricken with paralysis just prior to the death of her husband, and for weeks the news of his sudden death was kept from her.

Seated in a buggy, Thomas McKee, a young farmer, and Miss Margaret Whitacre, both of Frederick county, were married by Rev. Roy Schmucker, of the Disciples' Church yesterday. The bridegroom procured a license in Winchester, got the girl in the buggy and had the ceremony performed by the first minister they met, who happened to be Mr. Schmucker. They then drove to the groom's farm, where they will live.

New York Stock Market.

New York, June 12.—The market was lifted from its rut of dullness at the opening of business and all through the first hour increased activity was noted. Liberal sales by liquidation of speculative accounts and aggressive short selling forced declines in that period ranging from 1 to 2 points below yesterday's close and a number of issues sustained losses of as much as five points compared with the highest prices of Thursday.

After the first hour the market became dull and for a time showed little feature, prices holding slightly above the low level reached on the downward movement just after the opening. At mid-day as there was a little demand prices again fell off, in some cases to new low levels for the day.

LEAGUE BASEBALL GAMES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

St. Louis, 6; Washington, 3.
Cleveland, 2; Boston, 0.
Detroit, 3; New York, 1.
Chicago, 7; Philadelphia, 0.

HOW THEY STAND.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Chicago	26	20	.565	Detroit	24	23	.511
St. Louis	27	21	.563	Phila'phia	23	24	.489
Cleveland	26	22	.542	Boston	23	26	.440
New York	23	22	.511	Wash'n	18	29	.383

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Chicago, 2; Brooklyn, 1.
Pittsburg, 5; New York, 2.
Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 1.
Boston, 5; Cincinnati, 1.

HOW THEY STAND.

	W	L	Pct		W	L	Pct
Chicago	28	16	.636	New York	21	32	.511
Cincinnati	26	18	.591	Boston	20	25	.444
Pittsburg	25	19	.568	St. Louis	20	30	.400
Phila'phia	21	20	.512	Brooklyn	16	29	.356

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup is the one that children like so well to take as it tastes nearly as good as maple sugar. It acts gently yet freely on the bowels and thereby it drives the cold out of the system. It is sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

STATE CONVENTION.

The largest State democratic convention held in Virginia in 20 years assembled in Roanoke yesterday to choose delegates-at-large to the Denver convention, declare a platform of principles and take up any other party matters.

The convention was called to order shortly after the noon hour by Richard E. Byrd, of Winchester, speaker of the House of Delegates, who on the previous night was selected temporary chairman by the State central committee. Immediately following the speech of Temporary Chairman Byrd, the districts reported resolutions favoring instructions for Bryan, and one district, the second (Norfolk), reported resolutions opposing the sending of an instructed delegation to Denver. The six remaining districts were silent on the question. After organization, with Congressman E. W. Saunders, of the Fifth district, as permanent chairman, the convention adjourned until 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

The congressional district conventions named their delegates to Denver and selected their electors. The Ninth district meeting unanimously indorsed the appointment of Judge William F. Rhea, of Bristol, as member of the State Corporation Commission. There was a long and stubborn fight in the recent legislature against Rhea's appointment, but he finally won out.

The convention instructed for Bryan, and United States Senator John W. Daniel, who has opposed instructions, will go as one of the State's "big four" to the national convention. Senator Martin, Governor Swanson and former Governor J. Hoge Tyler were named the other three delegates-at-large.

The alternates-at-large are W. A. Aston, Washington; Alfred G Preston, Botetourt; R. T. W. Duke, Charlottesville; P. P. Watson, Henry.

The district delegates are, First district—E. I. Ford and Garland P. Moore, Second—J. T. Deal and John A. Lesner; Third—W. H. Sands and C. W. Throckmorton; Fourth—A. R. Hobbs and J. T. Harris; Fifth—T. C. Burks and W. T. Sutherlin; Sixth—H. A. Edmundson and D. Q. Eggleston; Seventh—George W. Kinsey and N. B. Earley; Eighth—Raleigh T. Green and F. W. Richardson; Ninth—G. W. Doak and Judge H. G. Peters; Tenth—H. D. Flood and Edward Echols.

When the convention reassembled at 3:30, it was expected that the real work would begin, but the announcement was made that the committees were not ready to report. Two hours were given over to speech-making, in which Senators Martin and Daniel, Gov. Swanson, ex-Gov. Tyler, and Representative H. D. Flood took part.

The feature of the session was the surrender of Senator Daniel to the instruction sentiment, and his effective plea for the continued confidence of his fellow Virginia democrats. Senator Daniel's declarat on that he stood ready to obey the will of the convention was the occasion of a memorable and affecting scene.

Senator Martin made a practical talk, advising the sending of an instructed delegation to Denver. He did this in the interest of harmony. He said 300 delegates were bound in honor to vote for instructions, while 500 other delegates could vote for or against instructions with honor. He further said that it was plain that Bryan would be nominated, anyhow; that he was the choice of the people of Virginia, and the choice of an overwhelming majority of the delegates. Under these circumstances, he gave it as his opinion that instructions would be wisest.

The recent Carlin-Gordon congressional fight in the Eighth district had its echo on the floor of the convention last night, when Raleigh T. Green, of Culpeper, and Martin Stringfellow, of the same county, had a fist fight. Several blows were passed, but no serious damage was done. The police separated the men.

The convention began work at the night session at 8:30 o'clock. The heavy rain did not prevent the packing of the convention hall with some 3,000 persons.

The gubernatorial candidates—Stuart, Mann, and Tucker—were given a chance to make brief addresses, Tucker getting the big noise when he appeared. R. T. W. Duke, jr., of Charlottesville, made a speech, in which he announced his retirement from the gubernatorial contest.

The convention re-elected as State chairman J. Taylor Ellyson. Mr. Ellyson was also chosen as Virginia's member of the national committee.

The proposed modification of the State primary system was left in the hands of the State committee, who shall investigate the system and prepare suggestions and provisions for changes to be made at the convention in 1912.

The convention adjourned at 12:30.

The convention adopted a platform indorsing the administration of Governor Swanson and other State officials; arraigning the republican national administration; denouncing the Aldrich-Vreeland currency law as a "a pitiful makeshift of financial legislation, as an insult to intelligence, and an abortive effort to cure the financial ills by the republican patry created;" declaring for an immediate revision of the tariff; denouncing the Crumpacker campaign contributions publicity bill as "an attempt to reduce the representation in Congress of the southern States, and an effort to revive race hatred;" denouncing President Roosevelt for "executive usurpation of the judical and legislative functions of the government;" declaring for a modification of the State primary law, and indorsing William J. Bryan for the presidency.

Roanoke, Va., June 12.—"Vote for Bryan first, last and all the time," was the final instruction given to the state delegation to the democratic national convention by the democratic state convention before adjournment at 12:30 this afternoon.

During the session two of the delegates got into a fight and had to be pulled apart.

Senators Daniel and Martin, Gov. Swanson and ex-Gov. J. Hope Tyler were selected as delegates-at-large to Denver. The effort to do away with the primary plan of nominations failed.

The contest for seats as delegates from Alexandria county by Messrs. A. A. Lipscomb and G. H. Rucker, was decided against them and Messrs. W. U. Varney and R. C. L. Moncure were seated.

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Today's Telegraphic News.

Republican National Convention.

Chicago, June 12.—The republican national committee will have completed its work of preparing the temporary roll of the convention that assembles next Tuesday before sundown today, unless some unforseen complication arises.

The committee has assured the nomination of Secretary Wm. H. Taft on the first ballot by its disposition of the contests for seats, unless the committee on credentials should undo its work—and even the "allies" do not expect this. But the leaders of the convention are restive concerning the demands of Samuel Gompers, who will insist upon the incorporation of certain planks in the platform.

Gompers and his friends are reported to have said that if the convention does not come out flat footedly in favor of the anti-injunction plank, it will be taken to Denver for adoption by the democratic party. Then all members of organized labor will be asked to vote the democratic ticket.

If the convention does adopt an anti-injunction plank, the National Manufacturers' Association promises trouble. Its representatives are on the ground. They insist that the demand of the labor leaders be ignored and have been busy for three days trying to work up sentiment against Gompers' propaganda.

New York holds the key to the vice presidential situation in its hands. The leaders are looking eastward longingly and today Cortelyou seems to be leading, with Governor Hughes a close second and Sherman's boom slowly dying of starvation.

The committee today seated all the remaining Lyon-Taft delegates from Texas and then started on the twenty-two Virginia contests.

The following statement was made by the "allies" this afternoon: "At a conference this morning by the representatives of all the candidates for the presidency except Secretary Taft it was unanimously decided to continue the fight all along the line until the convention shall have made its nomination. From reports received from all the delegates already on the ground as well as those on their way from all parts of the country, we are convinced that no nomination will be made on the first ballot."

Major Bryan, attorney for the "allies," this afternoon withdrew the anti-Taft contests for seats for delegates at large from Virginia, as the contestants had not appeared to present their claims in the First, Second, Fourth, Sixth and Eighth districts, allowing each side thirty minutes to present its case.

The committee this afternoon seated the Slemp-Taft delegates from the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Sixth and Eighth Virginia districts. The committee decided to consolidate the hearings on the Fifth and Seventh Virginia districts. In these districts Taft men are contestants.

It was announced by leaders from New York this afternoon James G. Cannon, president of the Fourth National Bank of New York city has been agreed upon for the treasurership of the national committee vice Cornelius N. Bliss unable to serve on account of poor health.

Alleged Heir.

New York, June 12.—While funeral services were being held today over the body of O. H. P. Belmont at his home in Hempstead, L. I., fashionable New York society was convulsed by a report from Galveston, Texas, that a second real heir to the Belmont millions, a woman, will leave there tomorrow to fight for the estate. The woman says her name is Louise Whiting Belmont Clarke. She declares that Natica Rives, the wife of millionaire Wm. P. Burden, was a changeling, that she was no more the daughter of O. H. P. Belmont than of her step-father, Rives, whose name she took, and that she has no real claim to the wealth of the dead capitalist. As evidence of her claim the Clarke woman has in her possession a copy of a letter alleged to be from O. H. P. Belmont to a detective agency in which he says that his daughter is lost to him forever and that her place has been filled in the family circle so far as the outside world is concerned. The Clarke woman exhibits a gold locket with two portraits, one of them, she says, that of her mother, Sarah Whiting Belmont, and the other of herself at the age of four. "Once in New York," she said, "I will find many who know that I was living at least up to six years ago. I have seen reverses and I am to blame, but I can surely prove that I am the daughter of O. H. P. Belmont."

The funeral services were conducted by the Right Rev. Frederick Burgess, bishop of Long Island, and were very simple. There was just one soprano solo. After the services, Free Masons and Elks accompanied the body on a special train to Woodlawn Cemetery, where interment took place.

The de Sagan-Gould Wedding.

Paris, June 12.—It was learned today that a marriage contract between Mme. Anna Gould and Prince Helie de Sagan was signed yesterday. The contract establishes the separation of the property of the parties, each to retain control of own property.

While the contract is a mere formality under the French law, it is the custom for the wedding to follow within two weeks of the contract, which would make the marriage come before the end of the month. On the highest authority it is learned that the wedding will not take place in France. Mme. Gould wishes the wedding to be solemnized outside of France to escape undue notoriety.

While the property of each is kept separate under the contract, the prince will have a rich diversion in the estate of his wife, provided he outlives her. The registration dues arising from the contract amount to between $3,000 and $4,000.

It is uncertain whether Mme. Gould will choose Poland or Germany for the place of her coming wedding, but friends incline to the belief that the ceremony will take place in Germany. The prince has an estate in Germany and is on terms of intimacy with the kaiser. It is argued that if the ceremony is performed in a Protestant Church as now seems inevitable, the countess-princess would be in greater favor at the Protestant court of Germany than at what practically amounts to the Catholic court of France.

Four boys were born to Mrs. Abram Gotofsky, of Troy, N. J., on Wednesday. All of them are in good health. The combined weight of the quadruplets is sixteen pounds and four ounces. Mrs. Gotofsky, who is thirty-two years old, is the mother of thirty children, fourteen of whom are living.

The Lusitania Carries the Broom.

New York, June 12.—The Cunard liner Lusitania has again wrested the laurels of "Queen of the Seas" from her sister ship, the Mauretania. Not only did the Lusitania make the best record for the westward passage, but she also beat the record for the best day's run, and captured the honors for the best average speed.

Leaving Daunt's Rock June 7th, at 10 a. m., the Lusitania arrived at the Sandy Hook light ship at 1:08 this morning. The time of her passage was four days, twenty hours and eight minutes better than the record made by the Mauretania.

From noon, June 7 to noon, June 8, the new "queen" made 641 knots, six miles more than the Mauretania's record, and her average hourly speed was 24.88 knots, while that of the Mauretania was 24.86.

The Lusitania's day runs were: 59, 641, 621, 627, 603, 336, total distance 2,890 miles.

On the 11th, the Lusitania encountered high seas and and heavy northwest wind and this, combined with stormy weather, retarded her progress and prevented her from further eclipsing the Mauretania's record.

Francis Josef's Jubilee.

Vienna, June 12.—The chief event of Emperor Franz Josef's jubilee, a historic pageant to commemorate his sixtieth year of rule, took place before the largest crowd that ever assembled in the Austrian capital. The whole Ringstrasse was transformed into a vast circular amphitheatre, containing seats for more than 100,000 spectators.

For the emperor and members of the imperial house a magnificent pavilion was erected in front of the Hofburg Castle, so that they could review the pageant, which symbolized the history of his dynasty, in a series of wonderful living pictures. The procession was nearly eight miles long and comprised 22,000 persons, 400 cars and carriages and 4,000 horses. At the close of the marvelous spectacle all the church bells in Vienna began to ring during which the national anthem was sung by the countless thousands.

Fight with Robbers.

Tiflis, June 12.—In one of the boldest and most sensational robberies ever perpetrated in this city, and one in which five customs officials were killed, and in the running fight which followed three robbers met death, ten mounted men today at day break raided the customs house and secured 24,000 roubles. Surprised at their work by the cashier the robbers immediately opened fire, killing the official and four of his assistants. Then they fled with the booty, but an alarm brought a squad of police and the robbers were immediately pursued. A running battle followed in which three of the robbers were killed and one wounded, while two policemen received severe pistol wounds. The six men who escaped, however, carried the plunder. Police and Cossacks are in pursuit of the remaining members of the band and if they resist capture will be shot down.

The Thaw Case.

New York, June 12.—Supreme Court Justice Morschauser arrived here today to preside at the hearing of arguments to decide whether Harry Thaw, who is still in the apartments of Sheriff Chanler in Poughkeepsie jail, shall or shall not be returned to Matteawan. Thaw in an interview threw a curious light on the attitude of his wife who recently filed action for divorce. "Evelyn has never deserted me," he declared. "She has always recognized the wisest course to pursue. I have only faith and the keenest appreciation of her worth." This statement has revived doubts of all the stories of his arrangement from Evelyn and has led to the belief that when his liberty is finally achieved he will go abroad to live with her. Mrs. Thaw visited her husband today. She carried a boquet of flowers and was in gay spirits. The greeting was affectionate.

Another Dreyfus Affair.

Paris, June 12.—A dramatic scene in naval circles, paralleling the degradation of Major Alfred Dreyfus, took place today when Ensign Benjamin Ullmo, convicted of attempting to sell stolen naval documents, was publicy degraded. Before a great crowd that hissed him Ullmo's sword was taken from him and broken and the braid and buttons torn from his uniform. Though Ullmo had confessed his guilt, he was deeply affected by his punishment. The police were prepared for an outbreak, but aside from the hissing no demonstration was made.

Ullmo owes his degradation to the machinations of a French woman, Mlle. La Belle, with whom he was in love. She led him into reckless extravagances and he soon found his salary unable to maintain the pace.

Divorce Case.

New York, June 12.—Charging misconduct with an "unknown man," Mrs. Mary Agnes Ruiz, who has been known as the friend of Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt, is sought as defendant in an action for divorce instituted by her husband, Antonio A. Ruiz, an attache of the Cuban legation at Washington. It is declared possible that the Ruiz plea for divorce will be so amended as to name a corespondent and that a man of millions may thereafter be mulcted heavily by a damage suit for alienation of the wife's affections. When Mrs. Elsie French Vanderbilt began suit against her husband for divorce Mrs. Ruiz's name was mentioned in the proceedings before Referee McClure.

Held Partly Responsible.

London, June 12.—The courtmartial in the case of Captain Lumsden, commander of the cruiser Gladiator, which was sunk in a collision with the American liner St. Paul, held today that he was partly responsible for the collision. In view of the fact that the court also found the St. Paul to have been negligent, Capt. Lumsden was only reprimanded. He was commended for the gallantry displayed after the collision.

Train Derailed.

Binghamton, N. Y., June 12.—While running 30 miles an hour through the city this morning the Cleveland express, westbound, on the Erie Railroad ran off. The engine and three cars left the rails, the locomotive rolling into the ditch. Engineer Truesdale, of Hornell, N. Y., was crushed to death. Fireman Cole escaped with slight injuries. None of the passengers was injured.

The Anti-race-track Gambling Law.

New York, June 12.—Determined to fight the new Agnew-Hart anti-race-track gambling law to the last ditch, the Jockey Club today will seek to have a bookmaker arrested and taken before a magistrate. It will then go before a supreme court justice and ask an injunction preventing action under the law till its constitutionality can be determined. Under the new law the man who receives a bet is liable to imprisonment, but the man who lays a bet is not incriminated.

Despite the fact that he has not yet received certified copies of the new Agnew-Hart anti-betting law, Commissioner Bingham will stop all gambling at Gravesend track today. One, possibly two, of Commissioner Bingham's deputies will go to the track to see that the police prevent the laying of a single bet.

New York, June 12.—Commissioner Bingham held a conference this morning with Deputy Commissioners Baker and Hanson and at its conclusion made a statement in which he made it plain that he would be no party to a "Test" arrest as the race track people had hoped he would. Instead, he announced unqualifiedly that any person attempting to make a book or otherwise accept wagers on the races would be promptly arrested.

The commissioner also made public his letter to Philip J. Dwyer, president of the Brooklyn Jockey Club in which he says as the Agnew-Hart anti-race track betting bill has become a law, I hope that the police will be aided in enforcing the law by the officials of the Brooklyn Jockey Club. It will be necessary for the police commissioner to send police to the race track this afternoon and every racing day hereafter."

Albany, June 12.—That Gov. Hughes intends to have the anti-race track gambling laws enforced was demonstrated today when he caused official notice to be sent to Police Commissioner Bingham, of New York, the sheriffs and district attorney in the state as well as all peace officers under his jurisdiction, copies of the laws and a letter calling upon them to strictly enforce the same.

It was stated at the executive chamber today that the laws will be strictly enforced and any neglect of duty on the part of peace office will be summarily dealt with. A peace officer failing to stop gambling is liable to a fine of $500.

The governor, it is stated takes the position that the new laws are so plain that any talk of a test case being brought is time wasted.

Gravesend Race Track, N. Y., June 12.—There is no open betting on the horses this afternoon. Gov. Hughes success in getting his bills through the Senate has put an absolute stop to the usual style of betting for today, at least. There are no stools in the betting ring.

New York, June 12.—A meeting of Jockey Club was held today, but what action is to be taken concerning the anti-race-track law was not disclosed.

Decision to obey the law was reached this morning at a meeting of the Metropolitan Turf Association, made up of bookmakers at the Metropolitan tracks.

Sausage Factory Destroyed.

Kansas City, June 12.—Fire starting from an explosion in the sausage factory of the Nelson Morris packing plant today destroyed two buildings, resulted in the death of two workingmen and caused a loss of hundreds of thousands of dollars. Surrounded by water from the flooded Kaw river the plant could not be reached by the fire engines and the firemen were greatly handicapped. Dynamite had to be finally used to check the flames. At noon the fire was still raging, although under control. Two unknown men, who assisted in fighting the flames, were caught under a falling wall and killed.

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FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 12, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:34 and set at 7:25. High water at 6:32 a. m. and 7:07 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight and Saturday; light variable winds, becoming southeasterly.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

There was another large attendance last night at the Young People's Building of the M. E. Church South, where the Sunday School Convention of the Baltimore Conference is being held. The devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. W. L. Dolly. The address of Mrs. Hamill, "A Study of a Child," was greatly enjoyed. Dr. Hamill followed in an address, "The Spirit of the living Creature in the Wheels," which was listened to with interest by all present. At the close of his address a reception to delegates and visitors followed and a banquet was tendered them. The affair was served under the direction of a number of the ladies of the church, and the tables were prettily decorated. During the evening a number of selections were given by an orchestra under the direction of Prof. Carlton Padgett.

The convention reassembled at 9 o'clock this morning. The following was the programme.

Devotional exercises, Rev. M. H. Keene; address, "Temperance Teaching in the Sunday School," Rev. W. S. Hammond; address, "Sunday School Character in its relation to Secular Affairs," Rev. F. J. Prettyman; reports from schools; discussion; address, "The Sunday School Aids," E. E. French; address, "The Last and Best Things In Sunday School Work," Dr. Hamill; conference on hard problems.

At the afternoon session the devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. C. M. Hesser. There was an address, "The Country Sunday School and Its Needs," by Rev. S. M. Kline; address, "The Living Link in Missions," by Rev. W. H. Best, missionary secretary, Baltimore Conference and an address, "Junior Boys and Girls," by Mrs. Hamill.

The conference will adjourn this evening.

COLORED WOMAN WIELDS RAZOR.

Among the cases before the Police Court this morning was that of Ethel Carson, colored, who was charged with assaulting Nellie Dudley and Carrie Williams, also colored. The Carson woman, who lives in the neighborhood of the old canal basin, yesterday afternoon became incensed at something that had been said by neighbors, and arming herself with a case knife started after the two women. The defended themselves with sticks and succeeded in beating off their assailant. They latter entered her house and soon reappeared with a razor and succeeded in cutting one of her antagonists on the right arm and the other on the leg. Officers Garvey and Knight procured a wagon and proceeded to the scene and took the Carson woman in custody. She was fined $10. The woman received painful injuries from those she attacked.

KILLED BY ELECTRIC CAR.

Charles Birch was struck and killed by an east bound car of the Great Falls and Old Dominion Railway at Lyonhurst, Alexandria county, about ten o'clock yesterday morning. Later a coroner's jury brought in a verdict to the effect that the deceased came to his death through his own fault. It is said that Birch endeavored to cross the tracks in front of the approaching car, and before the motorman could stop the car it hit Birch, crushing his skull. He was picked up and placed aboard the car and conveyed to Rosslyn but died before he could be placed in a hospital. Birch was about fifty-five years of age and unmarried.

EXCURSION.

Osceola Socials, an organization composed of Red Men, will on Tuesday next give an excursion to Luna Park. The proceeds will go toward the uniforming of the members so that they will keep pace with the order in other cities and also be better equipped for raising funds for commendable objects. It will be remembered that Osceola Tribe have responded to every call made upon them and have helped materially on many occasions. Now they ask the citizens to liberally patronize the excursion, not as an act of charity, but to help an organization which is noted for its kindness to others.

FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Gottlieb Kicherer took place this afternoon from the residence in the extreme southwestern section, of the city, and was attended by relatives and friends of the family. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. May, pastor of the Emanuel Lutheran Church. The interment was in the Union cemetery. The pallbears were Messrs Albert T. Schoeni, August Calmes, Winfield Watkins, Julian Chauncey, Willian H. Hellmuth and Frederick Didsonelt.

TO SEND OUT THE DOG CART.

People living on Duke street extended yesterday killed a number of dogs on account of a mad dog scare, a cur, supposed to have been suffering from rabies, having previously been destroyed. Mayor Paff has made arrangements for sending out the dog cart, and in a few days the work of ridding the city of all ownerless and unlicensed dogs will begin.

RIVER NOTES.

The schooner Sidonia Curley is being loaded with bottles at the foot of Queen street for Norfolk. The bottles are being shipped from the Old Dominion Glass works.

The schooner Jennie Lippitt, with ice for the Mutual Ice Company, sailed from Rockport, Me., today.

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EPISCOPAL HIGH SCHOOL.

The joint final celebrations of the literary societies of the Episcopal High School will be held on Tuesday night next at Liggett Hall.

The officers of the Blackford Society are: President, J. Bruce McClelland, jr., of Texas; vice president, Dabney S. Lancaster, of Richmond. The medalists are: Reader, James G. Wheeler, of Kentucky; declaimer, Channing W. Daniel, of Richmond, and debater, Robert Taylor, jr., of Maryland. The commitee of arrangements are: Talbot T. Pendleton, of West Virginia, joint chairman; T. R. Pratt, jr., J. F. S. Duke, J. P. Kemp, G. L. Carter, A. F. Worthington and R. L. Whitehead, jr.

Joint valedictorian, James G. Wheeler (Kentucky), of the Blackford Society.

The officers of the Fairfax Society are: President, Andrew Jackson May, jr., of Tazewell; vice president, Basil G. Dabney, of Charlottesville. The medalists are: Reader, Hugh M. Nelson, jr., of Virginia; declaimer, Mann Page, of Colorado; debater, John R. Larus, jr., of Maryland. The committee of arrangements are: Pichegru Woolfolk, J. M. Wood, J. S. Hewitt, G. S. Weaver, S. I. White and Rudolph Turk.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice L. H. Thompson presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Ham Lomax, colored, charged with assaulting Hattie Lomax, forfeited $5 collateral by failing to appear.

Daniel Gerts, colored, charged with injuring property, was fined $5.

John Payne, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, had his case continued.

Ethel Carson, colored, charged with assaulting Nellie Dudley and Carrie Williams, was fined $10.

U. D. C.

The regular monthly meeting of the 17th Va. Regiment Chapter was held at Colross, Wednesday afternoon. A large attendance was had, and much important business transacted. One new member was received. The committees having in charge the tea of June 3rd reported and were discharged, and letters of thanks ordered to be sent to all who so kindly assisted on that occasion. After adjournment, Mrs. Smoot entertained the chapter most charmingly, and after a social half hour the members reluctantly adjourned for the summer.

DEMANDED BREAKFAST.

At an early hour this morning three strange colored men went to the residence of Mr. Charles Appich, on north Payne street, and demanded their breakfast. Upon being refused by Mrs. Appich, they attempted to push themselves by her into the house. Mrs. Appich ran to the telephone, when the darkeys left the neighborhood in a hurry. The police have a description of the three men, and they will endeavor to identify them.

MOVING PICTURES.

"The Scale of Justice and "The Country School Master" will be exhibited by the Elite Moving Picture Company at Schuler's Hall tonight. There will also be a special song. The hall is capacious and cool.

The Alexandria Amusement Company will exhibit tonight "Dora, a Rustic Idyll," adapted from the poem by Alfred Tennesson, and "Dancing Legs." "Macbeth" will be repeated.

BASEBALL.

The Virginia Stars will play the Cardinals on the old fair grounds tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock. Both teams are strong and a good game is expected. The Virginias have played the Cardinals twice and defeated them both times by the score of 3 to 2 and 7 to 6. The Virginia Stars have not been defeated this year.

CHARTER.

The National Sick and Accident Benefit Association has secured a charter in Washington in addition to that in Alexandria. The officers are L. Hooff, president and treasurer; A. A. Shriver, secretary and manager, and J. H. Broders, vice president.

SHIPMENT OF PEACHES.

Five trains of peaches passed through this city from the south over the Southern Railway this morning. Twelve trains are expected to pass through tonight.

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LUNA PARK
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PERSONAL.

At the closing exercises at Mount St. Agnes College, Maryland, yesterday, the opening address was delivered by Miss Mary Honore Harlow, of this city. The Charles J. Bonaparte medal for moral philosophy was awarded to Miss Harlow as were also a number of other honors.

Mr. John J. Gravatt, jr., of the senior class at the Virginia Theological Seminary, will, after his ordination to the diaconate next week, become general secretary of the Church Students' Missionary Association.

Miss Minor Cline, of Salem, N. J., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Ale, on north Royal street.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

The tug Vigilant has been repaired and is again in service.

City Collector Gorman has made his annual settlement with the finance committee.

The Alexandrians who attended the state democratic convention at Roanoke have returned.

Capt. George Windsor has resigned as mate of the steamer St. Johns and accepted a similar birth on the Jamestown.

Mt. Vernon Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, will tonight pay a fraternal visit to Mt. Horeb Chapter, of Washington.

The place of holding the picnic tomorrow of the Willing Workers has been changed from Wellington to Belmont.

Marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Henry Hayden, of Fort Hunt and Lily M. Gill, of Washington.

The schooner Pratt, which was bound for the lower river, got aground above the magazine yesterday, but was floated in the night.

Jane Garret, colored, a nurse from the Central State Hospital, Petersburg, arrived here today and conducted Millie Carver, colored, to that institution.

The work of extending the wharf north of the boat house by Mr. De Witton Aitcheson is on in earnest and he expects to complete it in thirty days.

At a meeting of the Washington Lodge of Elks Thursday night, steps were taken to secure the next national convention of the order for Washington.

A number of men appeared at Dr. Smith's office last night to take the physical examination required for enlistment in the new military company being organized.

Mr. Arthur C. Davis, a well know young contracting bricklayer, and Mr. Wm. Crump, a contracting carpenter, have commenced the erection of two modern brick houses on Orinoco street, between Washington and Columbus.

It's the consequences that hurt when you eat cheap sausages. You can taste them in your mouth for a long time afterwards. Because, being made of very coarse ingredients, they can't digest properly. That's bad. Sylvan Blondheim, The Auth Stand, City Market.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 21st day of May, 1908.

Emma H. Denty } vs. Harry B. Denty } In chancery.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Harry B. Denty, is a non resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 12, 1908.

INDIVIDUALISM WINS.

The Conquering Principle In Our Industrial Development.

The Remedy For Capitalistic Corruption Is Not to Be Found In Municipal Ownership, but In the Making and Enforcement of Controlling Laws. Business and Politics When Partners Never Make For Progress and Integrity.

By Hon. WALTER A. WEBSTER.

The problem of municipal ownership and of government ownership is coming to the forefront as an issue of the greatest importance to the American people. A feeling of unrest pervades the community. It is the fashion of the day to criticise capital and capitalists. We are called a land of inequality. Our wealthy are designated princes of privilege. It is said that the masses are being despoiled to enrich an aristocracy and that the press is stifled and the government corrupt.

Quasi-public corporations like gas companies, electric light companies, street railway and railroad corporations are particularly under the ban of radical public opinion. Their charges are declared to be excessive and their service poor, while many are supposed to be overcapitalized and by means of false bookkeeping to be making excessive and enormous profits.

Where there is so much smoke there must be some fire. Unquestionably evils do exist and in many instances of an outrageous nature—evils that should be stopped and done away with forever. No sensible man will dispute this. So far so good.

But when it is declared that municipal ownership and government ownership are the only remedies for these afflictions of the body politic I, for one, demand proof.

The burden of the proof is on those who desire a change from present conditions to public ownership to prove that we should get better conditions and be served in a safer and more satisfactory manner or else show that the conduct of the business that the city or government wishes to acquire has been so antagonistic and fatal to the public interest that the only feasible remedy is public ownership. If this last position is taken, it should include proof that the regulation will not suffice.

The public in most communities in the United States doesn't have to go into municipal ownership to remedy these evils. To confess inability to regulate them is to confess inability to choose proper men to represent you. The American people are not going to be enslaved by any combination of capital for any length of time. They have their remedy in the ballot. They may stand it for a time, legislatures and city councils may be bought, but sooner or later little by little laws are going to be placed upon the statute books that will prevent overcapitalization, that will prevent exorbitant prices being charged, that will curtail enormous profits and make them reasonable and that will compel our great public service corporations to follow a uniform system of accounting and bookkeeping that will throw the searchlight of publicity on the financial operations of these corporations.

We have accomplished much in this direction in Massachusetts. We will accomplish more. To say that we will not is to say that we are incapable of self government.

The industrial and commercial greatness of the United States far exceeds that ever known at any time by any other people in the entire history of the world. Liberty of action and the untrammeled liberty of the individual have made the modern world. Individuality is the one essential to which our civilization and our social progress are owing. When the individual was crushed nations lay prostrate or developed but slowly. When individuality was recognized, civilization grew to manhood. With individuality came originality and invention. Freedom of speech, of thought and action was the mainspring of originality. Thus far we have escaped the tyranny of too much government, and if it can be demonstrated, as it can be unquestionably, that all these great public enterprises were originated, developed and perfected under a state and social condition where the individual was recognized it must be proved that under a state of partial socialism equally good results can take place.

The great public service corporations are the product of industrial evolution and are one of the highest exemplifications of what individual effort can do. They were started many years ago at a time when their success or failure was a matter of doubt. In every case they were started not by cities, states or governments, but by private individuals in their private capacity as individuals, as partners or corporations. They have been gradually developed from small beginnings until they have reached their present size. At first their products were luxuries. Now they are necessities. There is not to be found among the great inventions that have done so much to improve the lot of civilized man a single one that was due to government initiative. Governments never experiment. Individuals do. If they fail the government never adopts the experiment, but if they succeed and are placed upon a paying basis then the government, be it city or state, is willing to buy.

During the long process of our industrial evolution men have been gradually developed who have become technical specialists and who are thoroughly acquainted with all the infinite detail connected with the enterprise. They have in many instances started in humble capacities and come to the top of the ladder by reason of sheer ability and experience. By ingenuity and skill they have managed departments with great economy or in some way introduced improvements that have tended to save money for or to broaden the scope of their company. Their reward has been promotion. Thus we find that in most of our public service corporations the trained men at the head of affairs and their immediate subordinates have given continuous thought to the growth of the business.

When a city goes into municipal ownership, unless she, too, employs trained specialists and careful men with technical and financial ability the enterprise will lag behind.

The men at the head of our great public service corporations are men of extraordinary ability. Their prototypes, however, would not manage these enterprises if the city owned them. Under municipal ownership the officials in these departments would be rewarded under the spoils system or would be promoted by seniority. The experience of all governments proves this. In either event you would not begin to have the capable men directing these concerns that you now have.

Business enterprises requiring financial skill, special knowledge, technical training, hard study and severe application cannot be run by politicians who have none of these attributes, however much we like them personally as men.

Owing to the continual change in politics, the coming in of one party after the other or of one faction after the other, a really good man at the head of a department just commences to have a clear understanding of his duties and to accomplish efficient work when out he goes. Such a state of affairs discourages men from doing their best when they know they will not be rewarded for their just efforts.

The experience of the world has shown that men work hardest when they are working for their own pocketbooks, and in private concerns where economy and ingenuity will effect a saving men will work at their best, because such work will mean more money to them in the shape of dividends or a promotion of some sort as a reward for their ingenuity. Under municipal management there would be but little inducement for men to stay up nights scheming to save money for the city, for if the scheme were one that diminished the number of municipal employees its originator would speedily become unpopular, whether the scheme resulted in labor saving machinery or in more efficient management.

It is often stated that municipal ownership is right in theory. This cannot be so unless we consider the earth Utopia and all men automatons. No theory is right unless right in practice. When practice and theory, so called, differ, practice must prevail.

Rather Strong Language.

The city of Cedar Falls owns its own water system. Those favorable to municipal ownership in this and other states have pointed to Cedar Falls in vindication of the socialistic theory of municipal ownership, and yet if a private corporation were giving the city the unwholesome water that we must endure every time the streams get a little above normal it would not be safe for a stockholder in such an enterprise to appear on the streets.

With the high water tax that is exacted there surely can be no excuse for the roily condition of the water, because there ought to be funds enough available to construct a reservoir to make some provision that would obviate the present unwholesome, insanitary condition. The people of the city ought to insist upon an improvement. If there are no funds available, there ought to be no objection to an appropriation sufficiently large to make right the difficulty.

Some of these times an epidemic of typhoid fever will result, and then it will be too late to make complaint. The time to take action is now.—Editorial in Cedar Falls (Ia.) Record.

Comment Is Unnecessary.

Chicago, April 27, 1903.

To the Honorable the City Council:

Gentlemen—The city of Chicago has been in the electric lighting business for about twenty years, yet I have been unable to acquire from the city records exact information as to the municipal lighting plant's value or the cost of the electric lighting which the city does for itself. The records simply show from year to year the cash appropriated and expended for material and labor in the maintenance and operation of the electric lighting plants. No attempt has been made apparently to ascertain the exact cost. The city should know how much its municipally owned and operated utilities are costing and how much it has invested in such undertakings.

Therefore I would respectfully ask your honorable body for authority to employ such expert assistance as may be necessary to acquire accurate information covering the initial cost of the city's electric light plant, the present value of said plant and in detail what it costs the city of Chicago to light its streets with its own electric lighting plant, the results of such inquiry to be laid before your honorable body. Respectfully submitted.

FRED A. BUSSE, Mayor.

They Kick Just the Same.

Residents of Chicopee Falls, Mass., who are patrons of the municipal electric plant have petitioned council, protesting against the present meter rates and requesting a hearing. Some consumers complain that their bills have been doubled since meters were installed.—Municipal Journal and Engineer.

Badly Fooled.

On April 1 the price of gas supplied by the municipal plant of Middleboro, Mass., was raised from $2.75 to $3.50 a thousand feet.

That government is the best which, while performing all its duties, interferes the least with the lawful pursuits of its people.—Chief Justice Waite.

Stomach Troubles.

Many remarkable cures of stomach troubles have been effected by Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One man who had spent over two thousand dollars for medicine and treatment was cured by a few boxes of these tablets. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at W. F. Creighton & Co. and Richard F. Gibson.

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England and Russia.

St. Petersburg, June 11.—It was persistently rumored in Douma circles here today that Emperor Nicholas and King Edward had entered into an Anglo-Russian agreement, which will be enlarged into a formal treaty if the British Parliament consents. It is believed that Russia will gladly give her aid, provided the treaty contains nothing that would tend to weaken the friendship with Germany. King Edward sailed away from Reval at 3 o'clock this morning. The festivities in the Gulf of Finland continued up to the hour of departure.

London, June 11.—The rumor that an Anglo-Russian agreement had been entered into during King Edward's visit to the Czar at Reval is received here with misgivings. The conservatives will give their support to such a move, but it is extremely doubtful whether the Liberals and laborites will support it. It is certain that the latter will oppose a formal treaty with Russia. They demand that Russia adopt a more conciliatory policy before England enters into an open profession of friendship. If a formal treaty is proposed it is sure to result in one of the warmest debates ever held in Parliament.

Object to Bathing Suit.

Tampico, Mexico, June 11.—Mexican stand bull fighting, but this particular part of Mexico can't stand the style of bathing suit that some of the women of the American colony have been donning for their daily plunges in the surf. Some of their suits worn could easily be carried in the vest pocket, and the innovation was so new to Mexicans that the mayor has placed his official ban upon them. The women resent the mayor's imputation of immodesty. They say the costumes are the same as those worn at American resorts, but the mayor says he has never been to America and has only his own standards to go by. So far the women have paid no attention to the mayor's proclamation, and are still disporting themselves in their nifty creations. The mayor says arrests will follow if his decree is not heeded.

THE DOOMED MONITOR.

Under the command of Commissioner Quinby, with a selected crew, the monitor Florida left the Norfolk yard yesterday morning in tow of the naval tug Hercules for Hampton Roads to undergo a second test of modern naval projectiles and explosives.

Should the Florida fail to sink she will be towed to the yard and placed in dry dock in order that naval experts can ascertain just what damage was done to the ship and what is needed to insure protection for the ships of the navy.

On board the Florida with Commander Quinby and her crew is Lieutenant Taussig, son of Rear Admiral Taussig, commander of the Norfolk yard. It is the desire of these officers to remain aboard the Florida during the test as they did when the ship was fired on by the Arkansas.

It is stated that the test will take place Saturday between Sewells Point and Edgewater, in that part of the river where the water is shallow. The tide at the time will be low, and should the Florida sink or her bulkheads constructed to keep out the water fail to make the interior water tight, it will cost the government but a small amount to raise the ship and repair her.

When the monitor left the yard yesterday her bow was about two feet higher of water than her stern. This was caused by the removal of the two 12-inch guns from her forward turret. They weigh 240,590 pounds.

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Beginning on the north side of Prince street 168 feet westward of Union street and running west with Prince street 20 feet 10½ inches; thence north parallel with Union street 88 feet 3½ inches; thence easterly parallel with Prince street 20 feet 10½ inches; thence by a straight line to the beginning.

Also a piece of ground adjoining the above described piece, and bounded as follows: Beginning on the south side of Wales Alley 121 feet 1½ inches eastward of Lee street and running thence westwardly with said alley and parallel with Prince street 4 feet; thence southerly parallel with Lee street 39 feet 7½ inches to the north line of the above described lot; thence easterly with said north line 4 feet; thence by a straight line to the place of beginning, with the use of said alley.

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The above sale is postponed to Saturday, June 20, when it will be held at the same hour and place.

OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS

Northern mails, week days, close at 7 10 a. m., and 8 45, 11 30 a. m., and 2 00, 2 30, 8 15 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 8 45 a. m., 2 30, and 7 30 p. m.

Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7 10 and 10 30 a. m., and 3 20 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 8 45 and 10 30 a. m., and 3 25, 6 00 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 a. m., 12 m and 4 p. m.

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Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 45 a. m., and 4 00 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 2 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 3 20 p. m. and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 00 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 10, a. m. 8 45 and 11 30 a. m., and 2 00, 2 30, 8 15 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8 00 a. m. Close at 6 00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.

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8:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. Stops only for passengers for Charlottesville and points south at which scheduled to stop. First class coaches and drawing-room sleepers for New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:27 P. M. Daily—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York, Augusta and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Jacksonville. Tourist to California tri-weekly.

4:32 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping cars to Roanoke Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

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Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 8:28 and 8:48 A. M. and 3:13, 8:43, and 11:13 P. M. daily. Harrisonburg 12:06 P. M. week days and 9:13 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M

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Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 25, 11 25 a. m., 12 25, 1 25, 2 25, 3 52, 4 36, 5 35, 7 05 and 8 46 p. m.

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Leave Spring Park 8 05, 8 30, 8 55, 9 35, 10 10, 10 45, 11 20 a. m.; 12 15, 12 50, 1 20, 1 50 2 30, 3 15, 3 50, 4 20, 4 50, 5 30, 6 05, 6 50, 7 25, 8 10, 8 45, 9 25, 10 00 p. m.

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Trains leave Union Station for Washington and points north at 8 02 and 9 33 a. m., 12 01 2 30, 8 07, 9 23, and 11 33 p. m., week days.

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